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P.O. BOX 5 Babylon NEW YORK *Growers of Dutch Bulbs*



WE PREPAY ALL
SHIPMENTS

Giant MAY
FLOWERING



**SCARLET
LEADER**
Doz. for \$1.50
100 for \$10.00



GLACIER
Doz. for \$1.70
100 for \$11.50



**SMILING
QUEEN**
Doz. for \$1.60
100 for \$10.50

	Doz.	100
AFTERGLOW. Soft apricot-orange, tinted pink	\$1.40	\$ 9.50
AMERICAN FLAG. Dark red with broad white lines and blue base. So named because the three colors resemble the American Flag. A real novelty	1.70	11.50
ARISTOCRAT. Soft violet-rose with a well defined white edge on the flower petals. The flower is large, goblet-shaped and has excellent substance. Stem is rigid and stiff, about 31 inches tall. This variety has an aristocratic appearance and is extra good for garden planting	1.60	10.50
BARTIGON. Fiery crimson, white base. Very strong grower	1.35	9.00
BELLE JAUNE. Without a doubt the finest and strongest dark golden yellow Tulip; of beautiful form, producing long, egg-shaped blossoms of enormous size	1.35	9.00
BLUE EAGLE. Intense deep purple which shines when the sun strikes it	1.35	9.00
CARRARA. Pure white with yellow anthers. Large globular flowers	1.35	9.00
CHAS. NEEDHAM. One of the best scarlet-red Tulips	1.80	12.00
CITY OF HAARLEM. One of the largest and brightest red Tulips, being an intense dark scarlet with inner base slate-blue. Very striking when flower is open	1.80	12.00
CLARA BUTT. Salmon-pink. Very popular	1.20	8.00
CORDELL HULL. A splendid new variety which becomes more beautiful as the flower ages. It is a combination of silvery white and blood-red stripes, making a very striking effect. Highly recommended for decorative purposes	1.50	10.00
CUM LAUDE. Large flower, somewhat waved, deep violet, ivory-white center	1.35	9.00
DIDO. Orange-red, slightly flushed cerise with amber-orange edges; inside salmon-orange with yellow base passing to slatish green; yellow anthers	1.35	9.00
DILLENBURG. A new variety much on the order of the Cottage Tulip Dido, but of a brighter and deeper tone best described as a glorious salmon-orange.	1.10	7.50
DOM PEDRO. Coffee-brown; inside glittering mahogany with olive streaked yellowish base	1.80	12.00
DUKE OF WELLINGTON. A delightful pure white flower of great beauty and substance, white anthers and pure white base, is carried on a stiff stem. Height 28 inches	1.65	11.00
ECLIPSE. A glowing, dark blood-red flower with a lustrous surface and violet, white-margined center.	1.80	12.00
FARNCOMBE SANDERS. Brilliant scarlet	1.35	9.00
GLACIER. Large pure white with white stamen ...	1.70	11.50
GOLDEN AGE. Bright golden yellow faintly overlaid with orange, strong grower, beautifully shaped.	1.60	10.50
GOLDEN HARVEST. A splendid lemon-yellow Tulip of great substance. Has great carrying power and creates a fine showy effect in the garden	1.10	7.50
INGLESCOMBE YELLOW. Canary-yellow with yellow anthers. Color will sometimes change to light red, due to warm climatic conditions	1.10	7.50
INSURPASSABLE. A mammoth lilac Tulip. Flower is of great substance and carried on a tall, strong stem. This is a great improvement on the well known Darwin Tulip, William Copeland, as the flower is at least three times larger and of a far better color	1.60	10.50

FRONT COVER COLLECTION "A"

	Regular Price
12 Hyacinths (3 each of 4 colors)	\$2.40
36 Daffodils (6 each of 6 varieties)	5.35
24 Single Early Tulips (4 each of 6 varieties)	3.00
12 Double Early Tulips—Mixed	1.40
16 Red Emperor Tulips (Early giant red) ..	1.60
50 Crocus—Mixed	1.37

Regular Price \$15.12

SPECIAL SALES PRICE

Total of 150 Bulbs

Separately Named and Labeled

\$12.50

Dutch Tulips

MRS. JOHN T.
SCHEEPERS
Doz. for \$1.60
100 for \$10.50



	Doz.	100
LA TULIPE NOIRE. Very large flower of unique bluish black	\$1.50	\$10.00
G. W. LEAK. Bright vermillion-scarlet with creamy yellow base and yellow anthers	1.60	10.50
LINCOLNSHIRE. Red; sport of Inglescombe Yellow ...	1.10	7.50
LOUIS XIV. Dark purple, flushed bronze with broad margin of golden brown. Large stately flower	1.80	12.00
MARGAUX. Deep wine-red, with broad light edge. Tremendous flower, oval-shaped with blue base, and carried on a strong and stiff stem. One of the largest	1.60	10.50
MARSHALL HAIG. Beautiful red with large yellow base. Large flower on tall, strong stem. Highly recommended	1.60	10.50
MRS. GRULLEMANS. This is a perfect white Tulip; it has the correct Darwin form, straight, stiff and tall stem; flower petals are thick; it is without question one of the best white Tulips ever offered	1.50	10.00
MRS. JOHN T. SCHEEPERS. The best and largest yellow Tulip in existence, an enormous improvement upon older varieties. Is one of the leading varieties ..	1.60	10.50
MOUNT EREBUS. Here is the perfect white Tulip. Snow-white, graceful in form and bearing, this lovely flower is truly a bloom of delicate beauty that will sparkle like a jewel in your garden	1.50	10.00
NIPHETOS. Soft sulphur-yellow, inside primrose-yellow. Highly recommended	1.50	10.00
PRIDE OF ZWANENBURG. A glorious salmon-rose Tulip with a narrow edge of blush-rose at margin. Except for the paler margin it resembles a wonderful tall salmon-pink bloom	1.60	10.50
PRINCESS ELIZABETH. Vivid rosy pink, good forcer.	1.35	9.00
PRINCESS MARGARET ROSE. A golden yellow with a clearly defined edge of scarlet, a striking beauty. Very late blooming	1.10	7.50
PRUNUS. Deep rose-pink with salmon glow, an extremely lovely Darwin. The very beautifully formed flower is held on a strong, stiff stem and of great durability, it is a splendid bedder and fine as a cut flower	1.35	9.00
QUEEN OF THE NIGHT. One of the darkest Tulips, superior to La Tulipe Noire; it is much larger	1.20	8.00
QUEEN OF THE NORTH. We have always noted a demand for lovely bicolor Tulips. In Queen of the North we present one of the most impressive and delicate of all bicolors	1.35	9.00
SCARLET LEADER. A uniform shade of bright scarlet. A most brilliant and glowing flower carried on tall and straight stem, of large size and fine substance	1.50	10.00
SCOTCH LASSIE. Deep lavender with dark blue base. Excellent long lasting variety	1.30	8.50
SMILING QUEEN. Pure and radiant satin rose. One of the finest rose-colored Tulips in existence. Large flower of beautiful form. Height 28 inches	1.60	10.50
SUNKIST. Deepest golden butter-yellow, large bloom ..	1.30	8.50
THE BISHOP. A remarkably fine flower of ideal form. Color of real deep violet-blue, showing a white star in center. An unusually good show variety as it forces exceptionally well	1.60	10.50
WHITE GIANT. Large, pure white, with black anthers.	1.60	10.50
WM. PITT. Very fine scarlet with lighter shade on edge	1.30	8.50
ZWANENBURG. Pure white with black anthers	1.50	10.00

INSURPASSABLE
Doz. for \$1.60
100 for \$10.50

QUEEN OF
THE NORTH
Doz. for \$1.35
100 for \$9.00

OUR GUARANTEE

We endorse all the superlative bulbs offered in this catalog, without reservations! There are none finer on the market. Plant them now with confidence . . . enjoy them for seasons to come!

You may buy bulbs cheaper—but none better! Money promptly refunded if not absolutely satisfied in every respect!

Big 6 GIANT TULIPS

6 Magnificent May-Flowering Tulips
Bloom At the Same Time

Scarlet Leader Mrs. John T. Scheepers
Glacier Insurpassable
Smiling Queen Queen of the North

Pictured on pages 2 and 3.

COLLECTION B

3 EACH of these 6 varieties	\$ 2.35
6 EACH of these 6 varieties	4.25
12 EACH of these 6 varieties	8.75
100 EACH of these 6 varieties	59.00



The Ultimate in FINE QUALITY BULBS



**SCOTCH
LASSIE**
Doz. for \$1.30
100 for \$8.50



CLARA BUTT
Doz. for \$1.20
100 for \$8.00



**PRINCESS
MARGARET ROSE**
Doz. for \$1.10
100 for \$7.50

DARWIN TULIPS • GIANT "ECONOMY" Collection No. 2

Outstanding Value—Highly Recommended (3 Varieties Pictured—Prices Reduced)

Clara Butt. Pink.
Dillenburg. Orange.
Farncombe Sanders. Red.
Queen of the Night. Black.

Scotch Lassie. Lavender.
Golden Harvest. Yellow.
Princess Margaret Rose. Red and yellow.

21	Bulbs—3 Each of 7 Varieties	\$2.25	84	Bulbs—12 Each of 7 Varieties	\$ 8.25
42	Bulbs—6 Each of 7 Varieties	4.50	700	Bulbs—100 Each of 7 Varieties	52.00



New Darwin Hybrid Tulips

These new Darwin Hybrid Tulips are most exceptional because of their exciting brilliancy of colors, fabulous size and splendid stature. They are absolutely the largest Tulips raised to date, their recent introduction caused quite a sensation among the Dutch growers and in preparing the present revision of the Tentative List of Tulip names, the Tulip-Committee has thought it wise to make a new Sub-Division (9a) for these wonderful Tulips, results from a crossing between Darwin Tulips x Tulipa Fosteriana.

APELDOORN. A magnificent introduction producing very large, oval-shaped flowers of orange-scarlet with black base edged yellow, very enchanting. 3 for 65c; 12 for \$2.10; 100 for \$14.00.

GEN. EISENHOWER. A gorgeous and unique variety with brilliant scarlet, goblet-shaped flowers, a wonderful hybrid of striking beauty, outstanding for vigor which gives it exceptional lasting qualities, one of the best in this section. 3 for 70c; 12 for \$2.40; 100 for \$16.00.

GUDOSHNIK. Colored creamy peach with deep rose edging on margin of petals, interior shiny buttercup-yellow with black anthers and purple base. 3 for 70c; 12 for \$2.40; 100 for \$16.00.

The Lovely Garden Beauty - *Holland's Glory*

Magnificent flowers of colossal dimensions, its color is a warm dazzling scarlet of remarkable beauty and has great lasting qualities, the large gigantic flowers have broad massive petals, are of refined finish and are held on very strong stems. In our opinion destined to become a leading variety for garden decoration. 3 for \$1.00; 12 for \$3.75; 100 for \$25.00.



"Better Parrots"

A
Van Bourgondien
Specialty

Exotic PARROT TULIP COLLECTION No. 12

Blue Parrot Texas Gold
Parrot Wonder Pink Champion

12 Bulbs .. \$1.75
3 Each of 4 Varieties

24 Bulbs .. 3.10
6 Each of 4 Varieties

48 Bulbs .. 5.50
12 Each of 4 Varieties

PARROT WONDER—3 for 45c; \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100

BLACK PARROT. This new BLACK flowering Parrot Tulip is a sport of the famous La Tulipe Noire. Color is purple-black; of a unique shape \$0.40 \$1.20 \$ 8.00

BLUE PARROT. 26 in. A glorious flower of bright violet, shading to steel-blue. As blossom opens it gradually changes to a most pleasing blue; very large flower with strong stem. Sport and color of Darwin Tulip, Bleu Aimable. Highly recommended50 1.60 10.50

FANTASY. The Parrot Tulip with a straight stem. Being a sport of Clara Butt, it produces a very similar color to Clara Butt, but deeper pink inside the petals .. .45 1.35 9.00

ORANGE FAVORITE. Glistening deep orange, shaded rose, inside deep orange-scarlet with yellow base, sweet scented flower of giant size and brilliant coloring45 1.35 9.00

PARROT WONDER. This is the largest flower of all Parrot Tulips. Cherry-red, much the color of the old favorite "Pride of Haarlem" and it is delightfully FRAGRANT as well. Good strong stems. Height 28 inches45 1.50 10.00

PINK CHAMPION. 20 in. Extra large white blossoms which are bordered with a pink margin. A very unusual and pleasing color combination45 1.40 9.50

THERESE. A sport of Darwin Tulip, Farncombe Sanders, it has retained the many good qualities of this so-popular variety. The very large flower is subdued scarlet color with the inside of the petals a lighter but brilliant rosy red50 1.60 10.50

TEXAS GOLD. 24 inches. By far the largest and most grandiose of all the yellows, if not of all Parrots. The huge yellow flowers are bordered with a narrow edge of vivid red, which enhances the flower still more. For size and beauty we have never seen its equal. Per 3, 40c; doz., \$1.35; 100, \$9.00.



Graceful LILY-FLOWERED TULIPS

CAPT. FRYATT. Brownish red of immense size. \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

GOLDEN DUCHESS. A strong plant, producing deep golden yellow blooms, with deep yellow base and golden stamens. \$1.80 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

MARIETTE. Glorious rosy red with pure white center, reflexing petals, a very graceful novelty. New, very large. \$1.60 per doz.; \$10.50 per 100.

PICOTEE. Snow-white with a margin of rose, pointed and reflexing petals. \$1.20 per doz.; \$8.00 per 100.

WHITE TRIUMPHATOR. Snow-white with broad, slightly ruffled and recurving petals, which are flushed soft green in center. A large, graceful and artistic flower. \$1.50 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.

All Five Lily-Flowered Tulips COLLECTION No. 19

15 Bulbs 3 Each of 5 Varieties .. \$2.20
30 Bulbs 6 Each of 5 Varieties .. 3.75
60 Bulbs 12 Each of 5 Varieties .. 7.25

PICOTEE
Doz. for \$1.20
100 for \$8.00

ROCK GARDEN TULIPS



KAUFMANNIANA. One of the most beautiful of all Tulips. Large, creamy flowers, brilliantly marked with carmine, yellow center. Doz. for \$1.50; \$10.00 per 100.

FOSTERIANA PRINCEPS

Very large red flowers on short stems; in this respect it is very fine for planting in a large rockery. 10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.30; \$8.50 per 100.

WHITE EMPEROR

A most outstanding novelty, one of the marvels of this unique race. The color is milky white; a very remarkable large flower, long lasting and constantly fresh looking, its effect is of delicate loveliness. Blooms a little later than Red Emperor. 45c each; 3 for \$1.20; \$4.50 per doz.

RED EMPEROR

A glorious scarlet-red Tulip of remarkable size. The petals are 6 inches long and the flower opens in the sun like a tremendous Oriental Poppy, disclosing a brilliant black center, bordered with yellow. It blooms about a week before the May-flowering Tulips. Height 15 inches. 10 for \$1.00; 25 for \$2.30; \$8.50 per 100.



CLUSIANA. Often called the "Lady Tulip." A charming, sprightly, vivid, upstanding beauty with gray-blue leaves, gaily striped blossoms in bright rose and white. Doz. for \$1.40; \$9.50 per 100.



PRAESTANS FUSILIER. 10 inches. Among the Praestans type it is one of the best scarlet-orange. 3 or more flowers to a stem. Doz. for \$3.00; \$20.00 per 100.



DASYSTEMON

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Very beautiful dwarf species, especially valuable for planting in the rock garden. Doz. for \$1.95; \$13.00 per 100.

OUR CHOICEST BOTANICAL TULIPS Collection No. 7

15 Bulbs \$2.60
3 Each of 5 Pictured

30 Bulbs 4.95
6 Each of 5 Pictured

60 Bulbs 9.50
12 Each of 5 Pictured



PEACOCK TULIPS. (Elite Mixture). We offer a very fine mixture raised from Greigii x Kaufmanniana which will be found far superior to what is usually sold as Kaufmanniana Hybrid Rainbow Mixture. Including many surprise seedlings of exciting color combinations with interesting mottled foliage. Doz. for \$2.10; \$14.00 per 100.

RED EMPEROR

DOUBLE PEONY TULIPS



UNCLE TOM
Doz. for \$1.60
100 for \$10.50



MT. TACOMA
Doz. for \$1.60
100 for \$10.50



REMBRANDT TULIPS, MIXED
Doz. for \$1.65; 100 for \$11.00

Double Late Flowering Tulips

Doz. 100

CLARA CARDER. 22 in. A new Peony-flowered Tulip of vivid rose color. This variety is fast becoming one of the most popular new Doubles \$1.35 \$ 9.00

EROS. An outstandingly beautiful double Tulip of salmon-pink. One of the new colors in this class. Highly recommended 1.60 10.50

LILAC PERFECTION. 17 in. Best lavender double Tulip in existence today. Pleasing shade, which keeps its color to the end .. 1.40 9.50

MOUNT TACOMA. Extra large; of the purest white with emerald-green markings on outer petals. Very strong and sturdy, with long blooming season 1.60 10.50

SYMPHONIA. Cherry-red; a double Pride of Haarlem 1.35 9.00

UNCLE TOM. An especially extra double, producing a fine shaped flower. The color is a deep mahogany-red, very much admired in all show gardens 1.60 10.50

SYMPHONIA
Doz. for \$1.35
100 for \$9.00



GIANT PEONY-TYPE DOUBLE FLOWERING COLLECTION No. 20

Listed on this page

18 Bulbs	3 Each of These 6 Varieties	\$2.30
36 Bulbs	6 Each of These 6 Varieties	4.30
72 Bulbs	12 Each of These 6 Varieties	8.25

GARDEN TROPHIES of EXCEPTIONAL MERIT



MIXED CROCUS

Special Bargain Offer

GUARANTEED TO BLOOM

85c for 25; \$2.75 per 100; \$25.00 per 1000



DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS IN MIXTURE

A mixture identically as pictured. Note the even height of varieties, of about 10 inches.

\$1.40 per doz. \$9.00 per 100



Genuine Better Dutch Hyacinths



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CROCUS "Heralds of Spring"

All Holland Grown Large Flowering Varieties

Lovely and Brilliant Colors That Always Herald the Coming of Spring Flowers—Large Flowering—Enduring Colors

	Doz.	100
GIANT YELLOW	\$0.55	\$3.50
THE SULTAN. Deep purple; extra large55	3.50
EXCELSIOR. Sky-blue55	3.50

	Doz.	100
SNOW STORM. Pure white	\$0.60	\$4.00
QUEEN OF THE BLUES. Light blue55	3.50
STRIPED BEAUTY. Dark striped55	3.50

MIXED CROCUS

Special Bargain Offer

GUARANTEED TO BLOOM

**\$0.85 for 25; \$2.75 per 100;
\$25.00 per 1000**

CROCUS SPECIAL OFFER "29"

These will be supplied in the following colors: White, blue striped, light blue, dark blue, yellow. Each color labeled. Every bulb guaranteed to bloom. Or, your choice of color.

30 Bulbs	6 each of 5 colors	\$1.00
60 Bulbs	12 each of 5 colors	1.85
125 Bulbs	25 each of 5 colors	3.50

EARLY TULIPS ... SINGLE and DOUBLE

Blooms weeks earlier than Darwins! Plant with Darwins for a month or more of Tulip pleasure!

SINGLE EARLY TULIPS

	Doz.	100
COULEUR CARDINAL. Bright crimson-scarlet; a deeper shade of red, like dew, on outside ...	\$1.50	\$10.00
GENERAL DE WET. Sweet-scented flowers of a fiery orange with yellow center	1.35	9.00
KEIZERSKROON. Crimson-scarlet with very attractive golden yellow edge	1.60	10.50
PINK BEAUTY. Bright cherry-red, slightly striped white	1.60	10.50
PRINCE CARNIVAL. Red, flamed yellow, sport of Prince of Austria. Sweet scented	1.60	10.50
RISING SUN. Clear golden yellow of great beauty and vigor	1.35	9.00
WHITE HAWK. Of all white Tulips this variety is the most handsome	1.50	10.00

DOUBLE EARLY FLOWERING TULIPS

	Doz.	100
ELECTRA. Splendid deep carmine	\$1.50	\$10.00
MR. VAN DER HOEF. Golden yellow	1.50	10.00
ORANGE NASSAU. Orange-red	1.50	10.00
PEACH BLOSSOM. Rose-pink	1.50	10.00
SCHOONOORD. Pure white	1.50	10.00
VUURBAK. Brilliant scarlet flowers of enormous size borne on very straight, stiff stems	1.50	10.00

QUEEN JULIANA COLLECTION No. 10

Of Six Varieties of Early Tulips

DOUBLE EARLY TULIPS		SINGLE EARLY TULIPS	
Peach Blossom. Pink.		Keizerskroon. Red and yellow.	
Mr. Van der Hoef. Yellow.		Couleur Cardinal. Red.	
Electra. Carmine.		General de Wet. Orange-yellow.	
18 BULBS—3 each of 6 varieties	\$2.35	72 BULBS—12 each of 6 varieties	\$8.50
36 BULBS—6 each of 6 varieties	4.50	150 BULBS—25 each of 6 varieties	14.75

Exhibition HYACINTHS

Prices:

**35c each; \$4.00 per doz.; \$28.00 per 100
Single Red and Pink Shades**

LADY DERBY. Soft rose; large truss. Fine for pans as well as outdoors.
LA VICTOIRE. Finest brilliant scarlet Hyacinth. Very early.
QUEEN OF THE PINKS. One of the finest. Good for bedding.
PINK PEARL. Deep pink.

Single White

QUEEN OF THE WHITES. Snow-white. Special for late forcing.
L'INNOCENCE. Pure white; large truss; extra fine large bells. Fine bedder and early forcer.

Single Yellow

CITY OF HAARLEM. Golden yellow. The purest and finest yellow.

Single Light and Dark Blue

BISMARCK. Bright blue. Fine to force in pots.
KING OF THE BLUES. Dark blue; splendid truss. Very fine.
PERLE BRILLIANTE. Light blue; erect and perfectly shaped spike.

Exhibition Hyacinths Special Collection "22"

4	1 Each of 4 Varieties	\$1.35
12	3 Each of 4 Varieties	4.00

Colorful Bedding HYACINTHS

Prices:

3 for 70c; \$2.40 per doz.; \$16.00 per 100

Single Red and Pink Shades

LADY DERBY. Soft rose; large truss. For pans and outdoors.
LA VICTOIRE. The finest brilliant scarlet Hyacinth. Very early.
QUEEN OF THE PINKS. Dark pink; compact truss. For pots, bedding.
PINK PEARL. Pink.

Single White

QUEEN OF THE WHITES. Snow-white; special for late forcing.
L'INNOCENCE. Pure white; large truss; extra fine large bells. Very fine bedder and early forcer.

Single Light and Dark Blue

BISMARCK. Bright blue, very fine for forcing in pots.
KING OF THE BLUES. Dark blue; splendid truss. Very fine.
PERLE BRILLIANTE. Light blue; erect and perfectly shaped spike.

Single Yellow

CITY OF HAARLEM. Golden yellow. The purest and finest yellow Hyacinth.

Order Today Large Bedding Hyacinths Special Collection "23"

6	1 each of 6 colors ..	\$1.25
18	3 each of 6 colors ..	3.50
36	6 each of 6 colors ..	7.00

Available in the following colors:
Light Blue White Red
Purple Pink Yellow



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VAN BOURGONDIENT

Dear Garden Friends:

Once again it is our pleasure to mail you our 1957 catalog of top quality bulbs at surprisingly low prices. These hardy spring-flowering bulbs will be ready in time for planting in your garden so that you will have beautiful flowers in early spring.

We hope you will take the time to read this catalog carefully. If you do, it will help you to enjoy the most beautiful spring garden you ever had. For these bulbs include the finest varieties grown in Holland as well as some of the choicest varieties from the United States and elsewhere.

Our success is built on your satisfaction with our bulbs, and for that reason we guarantee our merchandise. If disappointed, we will gladly replace any bulbs which are not satisfactory.

Every bulb listed here is endorsed by the Van Bourgondien family, who have been among Holland's most distinguished bulb growers for generations, so order now with confidence. Every bulb is unconditionally guaranteed.



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TULIPS

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Lilium Candidum

JUMBO BULBS

60c each; \$6.00 per doz.; \$45.00 per 100.

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40c each; \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

SPECIAL \$1.00 BARGAINS

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- 14 Darwin Tulips. Pure white; graceful\$1.00
- 14 Darwin Tulips. Soft pink 1.00
- 14 Darwin Tulips. Bright red 1.00
- 14 Darwin Tulips. Dark red 1.00
- 14 Darwin Tulips. Old rose 1.00
- 14 Darwin Tulips. Lavender 1.00
- 14 Darwin Tulips. Yellow 1.00
- 14 Darwin Tulips. Purple 1.00
- 35 Chionodoxa (Glory-of-the-Snow) 1.00
- 10 Candystick Tulip (Clusiana) 1.00
- 30 Dutch Iris, Mixed 1.00
- 25 Scilla Campanulata, Mixed (Wood Hyacinth) 1.00
- 35 Crocus, Mixed 1.00
- 12 Trumpet Daffodils, Mixed 1.00
- 13 Daffodils, General Mixture 1.00
- 40 Grape Hyacinths 1.00

ANY 3 One-Dollar Offers for \$2.90



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The Van Bourgondien family are an ancient Dutch family whose vast bulb farms at Hillegom, Holland, are world-famous. The bulbs offered here are the finest of their kind—sent to you direct...carefully packaged, honestly labeled. Get the most in beauty, quality, value—with genuine Van Bourgondien bulbs today!

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TERMS!

PREPAID SHIPMENTS: We prepay all charges on orders accompanied by payment in full. No C.O.D.'s. Over-payments promptly refunded. CULTURAL DIRECTIONS: We include explicit cultural directions for every variety — for both outdoor and indoor culture! CATALOGS: If you do not intend to plant bulbs this year, please give this catalog to a friend or return it to us. Thank you.



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New Hyacinth Book—
16 pages in color, describing history of Hyacinths.

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Pictured on pages 14 and 15.

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(Not Pictured)

Dazzling orange-red, lighter shading toward throat. Individual flowers large, open and star-shaped; stand partly erect and grow on tiers. Tall and large flower head with as many as 30 flowers. Height about 3 feet. Stems straight and strong, covered with dark, glossy green foliage. \$1.00 each; 6 for \$5.50.

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(Not Pictured)

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(For outdoor planting only.)

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WEDGEWOOD. Light blue. 90c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

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DUTCH IRIS MIXED. 70c per doz.; \$4.50 per 100.



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(Galanthus)**

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NIVALIS.
(Single.)
85c per
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per 100.

NIVALIS.
(Double.)
90c per
doz.; \$6.00
per 100.



SNOWDROPS



LEUCOJUM VERNUM
(Spring Snowflake)

This pretty bulbous plant is similar to the Snowdrop but of larger, stronger and more attractive habit. In rich soil it grows to a height of 8 inches and produces in late April, beautiful large white flowers, tipped with green; excellent for cutting. \$1.05 per doz.; \$7.00 per 100.



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All the varieties of Scilla campanulata are splendid for naturalizing because they will flower in shady places. All have bells like small Hyacinths, forming long, graceful spikes.

WHITE QUEEN. Large, pure white. 60c per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

EXCELSIOR. Large, bright blue. 60c per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

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(Grape Hyacinths)

BLUE BIRD. An immense improvement over all other varieties; the flowers being twice as large and growing taller, of a delightful heavenly blue. 60c per doz.; \$4.00 per 100.

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PLUMOSUM (Plume Hyacinth). Flowering in May. Beautiful feathery plumes of violet-blue. Very unusual type of Muscari. 90c per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

ROCK GARDEN COLLECTION No. 6

Pictured on pages 18 and 19.

Muscari, Blue Bird	Chionodoxa
Scilla camp., Mixed	Single Snowdrops
Scilla sibirica	Leucojum vernum
Eranthis	

42	6 each of above	\$2.50
	7 varieties
84	12 each of above	4.75
	7 varieties
175	25 each of above	9.00
	7 varieties



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(Winter Aconite)

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